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SUBJECT: PRC REQUEST FOR BUNKERING

REF: STATE 12077

1. MOBIL OFFICIALS TOLD DEPT OFFICERS ON FEBRUARY 12 THAT FIRM HAS INFORMED PRCLO THAT THEY WILL FOLLOW UP (I.E., RESPOND) IN HONG KONG TO PRCLO REQUEST FOR WORLDWIDE BUNKERING SERVICES. MOBIL REITERATED THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO BE REPAYED IN PETROLEUM IF AT ALL POSSIBLE.

2. MOBIL REPRESENTATIVES ADDED THAT THEY HAD GAINED THE IMPRESSION THAT BUNKERING IN US WEST COAST PORTS WOULD BE FOR PRC FLAG VESSELS. WE ARE NOT, HOWEVER, AWARE OF ANY INDICATION OF A PRC INTENTION TO DEVIATE FROM CURRENT PRACTICE OF UTILIZING THIRD-COUNTRY VESSELS IN US-PRC TRADE.

3. SUGGEST THAT CONGEN STAY IN TOUCH WITH LOCAL MOBIL REPS. ON THIS SUBJECT. CASEY
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